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Maryland Builds File On Far Right

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13 AP) Deputy Atty. Gen. Robert C. Murphy said Monday the subversive activities control unit in his office is developing "a substantial file on extreme groups other than Communist."

Murphy did not identify them by name, but said "more than a dozen" inquiries have been made into extremist groups in recent months.

Murphy said his office is keeping a watch on ultra-conservative groups through its authority under the state's 1949 Ober Act, which makes it a crime to conduct subversive activities.

The Supreme Court, in a 1956 decision, prohibited states from prosecuting such cases. However, the state's legal machinery has been maintained in an effort to stay informed about such activities.